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NEWS SUMMARY.

BY TELEGRAPH

Bailey, the Democratic candidate for Recorder of Philadelphia, took possession of the office yesterday.

The Lawrence Massachusetts American, General Butler's district of the 7th inst., referring to the controversy about General Butler having been ordered to superintend the transportation of troops, says that he has been officially informed that no orders are now in the hands of General Grant.

Attorney General Evarts decides that the President has power to grant a pardon in the case of Mrs. Surratt, and directs that the order of the President in relation thereto be carried into effect. Such officers are dismissed by a vote of the Senate, and the President has no power to suspend or remove them at his pleasure.

The Chief Justice who arrived in New York last year, 6-ft. mounted in that state, 1,000 feet in Illinois, 1,115 in Utah, and five in New Mexico, and 1,000 feet in the Atlantic ocean.

In the New York Board of Health Sunday, an ordinance forbidding the sale of lotteries and other betting tools, unless they shall have first obtained a license from the Board, was passed by a majority of 4 to 3.

It is announced that the citizens of Washington, without regard to party, are interested in their new magistrate-ship.

A factory girl in Providence, Rhode Island, has received one thousand one thousand dollars against a passing carriage, in a case of personal injury.

Mr. Spicer, a farmer of Tazewell county, Illinois, died suddenly on the 16th inst. He was found to be one of the wealthiest and most honored citizens of the county.

A fire at Bassett, Wisconsin, on Sunday night, destroyed an entire block of buildings.

The Dodge and Fremont Herald was consolidated a few days ago with the Dodge Republican, and is now published under the name of the Herald.

Thomas Richardson, the escaped convict accepted of complicity in the Rogers murder, was arrested in Paterson, New Jersey, yesterday.

A meeting to aid in raising funds for Berea College, Kentucky, was held at Cooper Institute, New York, last evening. There were fair attendance. Rev. Jos. H. Thompson presided, and addresses were made by Rev. Dr. Storrs, E. H. Fairchild, President of Oberlin College, Rev. Henry Ward Beecher and others. Mr. Fairchild stated that the College was founded in 1855, and was the outcome of education in the South generally.

The Supreme Court of Georgia yesterday decided that the relief law is unconstitutional.

The steamer Eclipse, sunk on the falls of Kanawha saturday night, has been raised by the steamer Huntington and towed down to the point near which she will be repaired, she was not badly damaged.

A fire occurred yesterday in Ashton, Broadway county, N. Y., which burned property valued at $50,000, insurance $20,000.

Advices from the lumbering districts in the north of Canada are unfavorable. Operations at some points have been suspended on account of the scarcity of snow, which is unable to get the timber out.

POLITICAL.

Wisconsin.

Chicago, January 26.—Hall H. Carpenter was to-day elected United States Senator from Wisconsin, by a vote of 19 to 13 in the Senate, and 55 to 38 in the Assembly.

Florida.

Tallahassee, January 26.—The committee appointed to investigate the charges against governor Reed reported to-day. The majority report, which is signed by five members, exonerates the Governor from the charges preferred against him. The evidence submitted shows some irregularities, which the friends of the Governor explain, and offers no ground for censure or opinion

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1869.

Meeting of Republican State Central Committee.

CLEVELAND, January 25, 1869.

The Union Republican State Central committee will meet at Harrisburg, on Thursday, the fourth day of February next, at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of fixing the time and place for holding the next State Convention, and for the transaction of any other appropriate business.

A full attendance is earnestly desired.

GARRETT A. GROW,
Chairman of Committee.

GEO. W. HOSMER, S. Secretaries.
J. D. MCKEE,

A PHILADELPHIA paper asserts on the authority of a member of the Senate, that "some of the new officers employed by the House have sold out ... at prices for $500 and gone home." ... dismissed one half of them could be spared ... without inconvenience, if the other ... and did their duty. Something like ... dozen of these so-called "officers" are from Allegheny county. In regard to some of them it can be said, if they earn their money there it will be the first time with a the recollection of their oldest acquaintance.

All the interviewers and newspapers in and around Washington are agreed on one thing concerning the new Cabinet, which is, that it will be selected by Gen. Grant, who will hold entirely the responsible. From this a tolerable idea can be gained of what Gen. Grant, as the head of the Government, will not do. He will not delegate to leaders, each with an army of lackeys on the direction of important matters for which he alone will be responsible, and on which the success or failure of his administration will very much depend. He will not delegate to others power or patronage without being entirely certain that it will be dispensed for the honest and economical fulfillment of every requirement of law and sound judgment. The country has gained sufficient knowledge of Gen. Grant's character to feel certain of the particular kind of men to whom he will delegate such power and patronage—rather what kind he will not select for such important trusts; and the knowledge gained in this important respect appears to give the general satisfaction to the country, excepting those who feel that their past associations and life have been such as must necessarily place them in the background.

THE letter of the Washington letter to the New York *Times*, wherein it was asserted that General Banks was ordered to relieve General Grant at Vicksburg, is Wm. Swinton, the historian of the Army of the Potomac, and otherwise favorably known in literature and journalism. He is about the last person in the country to be betrayed into making a statement so extraordinary without what to him appeared sufficient authority. It will be observed that Mr. Swinton declined that the correspondence and the order disappeared from the War Department; but General Banks he says, put away the papers that came to him and kept his own counsels. Mr. Swinton has denied all knowledge of such an order. Mr. Banks, who was with Grant at Vicksburg, has declared his unbelief, and everybody in general has pronounced the story a *canard*; but General Banks has said nothing, which of itself is negative proof that, at the very least, the story is not a sheer invention. When General B. makes his denial as broad as the one that Mr. Swinton has authorized the reporters to make, Mr. Swinton will hardly expect to have his statement credited. When shall we hear from General Banks?

THE LAST BROOKS.

Judging from recent reports it is highly probable that Napoleon Bonaparte Fonnaer, in pursuance of his ante-election threats, has established a bogus lodge of his famous organization in Georgia. At all events, there seems to be an unusual number of working members among the Georgia Ku-Klux. An exchange publishes the following extract from a Georgia letter written by a prominent official in that State:

> "Atlanta, January 7.—The ... the Georgia Railroad ... station, where the inmates of the ... to Washington ... were ... by ... Ku-Klux. The ... party ... and ... the ... Ku-Klux ... the ... party ... the ... Ku-Klux ... the ... party ... the ... Ku-Klux ... the ... party

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

THURSDAY EVENING, January 26, 1869.

Whatever change was noticeable in financial money market to-day indicated greater ease. Some of the deposit banks that to a limited extent have been very close up to their usual line, and tied to decline for the present some offerings, but there were other places ready to pick up any good paper presented. Good names pay at bank at 6 per cent., and some long-established paper with a good collateral was passed at the same rate. There is little first-class mercantile paper on the open market, and in the absence of any speculative demand for money — except in the purchase of oil — the market is barely active.

Gold Exchange was the stock active on Tuesday morning, January 26th, on account floor of commercial note drawers, to-gathered over, by A. Bellamine, auctioneer:

Exchange National Bank	$ 70 00
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Allegheny Insurance Company	25 00
Merchant's Insurance Company	25 00

—Government bonds opened a fraction higher, and the tone of the market was firm throughout the day, after a higher point than any of the past. The chief features at present, as noted by a New York journal, is an increased demand for registered bonds and a corresponding increase in the amount commanding a higher price than the larger ones. The selling government more has now over $ 100,000 of coupon bonds to be changed into registered ones this week, in order to avoid the income tax. The advance and firmness in the gold market has strengthened the prices of bonds, and the German bankers are in the market endeavoring to make large purchases, and will no doubt meet with success, as the holders of the bulk of the stock on the market are not willing to sell at anything like present quotations. If Congress should happen to pass an act making the principal of the public debt payable in coin, as expressed in plain words, and not in "coin or its equivalent," that the common people can easily understand, there is no doubt that the immediate effect in Europe will be to advance the price of our securities, and to attract the attention as well as those of investors here. The banks are beginning to invest their surplus in currency, as loans, as they realize therefrom more than from interest, with the prospect of an advance in the market value of gold, which does not appear to require the money. At the present time the amount of funds held by the New York banks is unusually small and below their average.

Messrs. Jay H. Baxter & Co., report the following quotations of Government bonds in New York to-day, as furnished them by Jay Cooke & Co., their correspondents:

	Opening.	Noon.	Close.
U. S. 6's, 1881, coupon			
U. S. 6's, 1881, registered			
U. S. 5-20's, 1862, coupon			
U. S. 5-20's, 1862, registered			
U. S. 5-20's, 1864, coupon			
U. S. 5-20's, 1864, registered			
U. S. 5-20's, 1865, coupon			
U. S. 5-20's, 1865, registered			
U. S. 5-20's, 1865, coupon, new			
U. S. 5-20's, 1865, registered, new			
U. S. 10-40's, coupon			
U. S. 10-40's, registered			
U. S. 7-30's, 1st series			
U. S. 7-30's, 2d series			
U. S. 7-30's, 3d series			
U. S. Certificates of Indebtedness			
Pacific 6's of 1881			

Messrs. E. Brady & Co., corner of Fourth avenue and Wood street, quote United States bonds and certificates in New York to-day as follows:

Jan. 25. Jan. 26. Gain. Loss.

U. S. 6's, 1881, coupon				
U. S. 6's, 1881, registered				
U. S. 5-20's, 1862, coupon				
U. S. 5-20's, 1862, registered				
U. S. 5-20's, 1864, coupon				
U. S. 5-20's, 1864, registered				
U. S. 5-20's, 1865, coupon				
U. S. 5-20's, 1865, registered				
U. S. 5-20's, 1865, coupon, new				
U. S. 5-20's, 1865, registered, new				
U. S. 10-40's, coupon				
U. S. 10-40's, registered				
U. S. 7-30's, 1st series				
U. S. 7-30's, 2d series				
U. S. 7-30's, 3d series				
U. S. Certificates of Indebtedness				
Pacific 6's of 1881				

The following sales, made up from the entries received at J. W. Gaussey's Stock Rooms, Apollo Building, No. 6 Fourth avenue, show the prices of railway stocks, coal, etc., at the various sessions of the New York Boards during the day:

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CITY MATTERS.

An Alleged Wronged Husband.

A middle aged German with an expression of the most intense grief upon his countenance came into the office of United States Commissioner Gamble yesterday morning upon the arrest of two friends, and said that his history had been a most sad one. He had served in the Army of the Potomac, and had fought in almost every important battle between the Potomac and the James. After returning from the army he married a woman to whom he had been engaged from the time that the rebellion commenced, but the expectations of happiness which he had fondly cherished all the while he was in the army were of short duration, for his wife, who was of a fighting temperament, and who made war upon him and at length one night last spring threw him out of the house, took another man to live with her without the ceremony of a divorce or a wedding. Not content with these disposition tions upon the happiness she applied to the Pension Department, and every time her husband was dead set himself in the soil at Virginia, and lived up to his bounty, took to the pension as a soldier would. He argued himself into a despondency as to the early recovery of the money which he will be entitled to by representing that he was dead. He was informed that the party would have to be nearly sworn on with all that character, for when wanted to have her arrested, according to the act of Congress, she would produce the most satisfactory representations, for would not living witnesses, proved by the oaths of two friends did not appear to know much about the matter. He left the office with a dejected appearance, stating that he would hunt up more proof.

Dedication of the Soldiers' Monument at Greensburg.

A Greensburg paper has the following: We note that the dirge of the fife and drum, upon the occasion of the dedication of the monument erected to the memory of the soldiers from this State, who fell in the Southern war, promises to be very fine. The Worth Infantry of Pittsburgh, Kelley's Post of Philadelphia, the City Council of Philadelphia and the members of the Senate, have consented to present and participate in the ceremonies. A circular has been received from General Geo. G. Meade, in which he announces that he and staff will be here. The various fire companies of this city have been invited to participate. Invitations have been issued to a number of military, fire and other companies in different parts of the State, and it is expected that there will be one of the largest parades ever held here. The monument stands on the State square.

Besides this the correspondence of the committee in charge of the dedication of the monument is the most interesting we have read in connection with the subject. The preparations to attend, we would suggest to the committee, should be made with a view to economy, for many of the companies, and more than likely the battalion of the Pittsburgh Regiment, which was composed of the members living in Pittsburgh, will be unable to attend on account of the expense.

Fire on Washington Street Suppressed Promptly.

Fire on the corner of Fifth avenue and Federal streets, about half-past twelve o'clock last night, was caused by the discovery of flames issuing from the cellar of the grocery store on the corner of the above streets. Weeks, owned by Dilworth & Son, and located on Washington street, near the avenue. The fire department turned out promptly and the flames were soon suppressed although the inside of the building was considerably burned, and a quantity of the goods damaged by fire, water and smoke. It is estimated that the loss will be in the neighborhood of one thousand dollars. The fire is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary as there was no fire in the building, the gas had been turned off at the meter, and there was no fire in the building. The fire was first discovered by a man named Boyle who was passing the store and saw the flames issuing from the cellar. The alarm was given from box 24, on Fifth avenue and Wood street.

South Pittsburgh Councils.

A regular monthly meeting of the South Pittsburgh Borough Council was held on Monday evening, January 25th, in Justice Barker's office.

Members present—Messrs. Kirk, Brown, Barnes, Rowles and Burgess Roberts, who organized the meeting.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A resolution providing for the opening of a street from Carson street to the Monongahela river, and between Sixth and Seventh streets, was adopted, and the Borough Solicitor was instructed to prepare the necessary legislation from the Court. The new street will pass through the property of George Cook, Esq., and Messrs. Lee and Bell, and will be 50 feet wide.

Warrants were ordered to be drawn in favor of the Street Commissioner for 50, and Police Constable, policeman, 30, after which the Council adjourned to the 1st Monday in February.

Runaway Accident Two Runaways.

About half-past seven o'clock yesterday evening a runaway occurred on Wood street, by which two gentlemen, whose names we failed to ascertain, were run over and severely injured. The horse was attached to a buggy, and was standing on the corner of Wood street, at the time mentioned the sound of music was heard on Fifth avenue, and the animal became frightened and started up Wood street in the direction of Fifth avenue. At the intersection of these thoroughfares, the horse struck against a carriage, throwing the occupants to the ground. One of the gentlemen was caught by the wheels of the carriage, and was dragged for a short distance, but was extricated from his perilous position before any serious damage was done. The other gentleman was not so fortunate, for he was struck by the horse and thrown violently to the ground. He was picked up in an insensible condition, and conveyed to his residence, which is situated on Fifth avenue, near Grant street. The gentleman who was dragged by the carriage was not injured to any extent, but the other was injured by the shoulder of the vehicle passing over him. The gentleman who was thrown to the ground was picked up in an insensible condition, and conveyed to his residence, which is situated on Fifth avenue, near Grant street. The gentleman who was dragged by the carriage was not injured to any extent, but the other was injured by the shoulder of the vehicle passing over him. The gentleman who was thrown to the ground was picked up in an insensible condition, and conveyed to his residence, which is situated on Fifth avenue, near Grant street.

The Police Parade.

Mayor Blackmore authorizes us to say that on Sunday January 31st, next, there will arrive from other cities and gave a parade in this city, before started up on the police force determined upon a parade in full uniform on the day preceding the retirement of the City Magistrate, and for several weeks past the men have been drilling regularly in Williams Hall. The parade will take place at 2 o'clock P. M., and it is hoped that all the citizens will turn out. The Mayor will be the host of the occasion, for, as he says, he is determined to show the men that he appreciates the efforts they have made to perfect themselves in the drill. The parade will be under the command of Chief Muse, assisted by Captains Hamilton and Kelly, and it is expected that there will be one of the largest parades ever held here. The monument stands on the State square.

Colored.

In Monday's paper we noticed the arrest of a German calling himself Henry Bean, on suspicion of having stolen a horse which he offered for sale in the market on Saturday morning. The prisoner was committed, which action the horse was taken charge of by the owner and subsequently sold to Conrad Bean, the prisoner's brother, who claimed that he was entitled to it by a bill of sale executed by the prisoner. Conrad Bean, it appears, was under the impression that he could get the horse for a song, but was disappointed in the amount he was compelled to pay for it. Yesterday, before Alderman Gripp, the case was heard, and the following decision rendered: Conrad Bean to pay the costs of prosecution, and Henry Bean to be discharged.

Court Proceedings.

United States Court—Judge McCandless.

Court met at ten o'clock yesterday morning, and Judge McCandless delivered the charge to the Grand Jury. He said that the duties of the Grand Jury were of a very important character, and were responsible to the State and General Government. Their duties and responsibilities of the Jury, and the case that would probably come under their observation, were of a very important character. He would not charge them at length, as the business was simple, and the Court would be ready to receive bills against the parties as soon as they were ready. The Jury then retired.

Quarter Sessions—Judge Wilson.

In the case of Henry Boyer, indicted for perjury, the jury yesterday rendered a verdict of not guilty.

Robert Bloom was arraigned on an indictment charging him with having committed an assault with intent to murder one Catherine Hoffman. The prisoner, on his own recognizance, was released from custody, and the case continued.

Michael Lackey was tried on an indictment for assault and battery, preferred by Wm. Hershberger, prosecutor, and the defendant and the prosecutor were both Germans, and the case was tried before them through an interpreter. Verdict, guilty. Sentence deferred.

Agnes Hamilton, indicted for perjury, Andrew Hamilton, prosecutor, Wm. F. Hamilton, defendant, was arraigned. A true bill was found against the defendant, and the case was continued.

Patrick Kelly, indicted for perjury, Andrew Hamilton, prosecutor, Wm. F. Hamilton, defendant, was arraigned. A true bill was found against the defendant, and the case was continued.

Thomas